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Sir:

Novo Nordisk A/S (hereinafter the "assignee") is the assignee of record of the entire interest of the above-identified U.S. patent application, and has a place of business at Bagsvaerd, Denmark.

Pursuant to 37 CFR 3.73(b), the undersigned has reviewed evidentiary documents establishing a chain of title from the inventor(s) to the assignee and, to the best of the undersigned's knowledge and belief, certifies that title is in the assignee. The relevant assignments were recorded in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on May 8, 2007, at Reel 019264, Frame No. 0249, and on May 15, 2009, at Reel 022689, Frame No. 0733.

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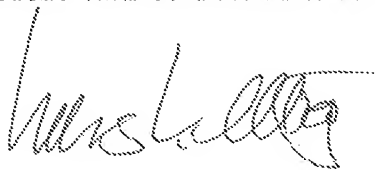
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